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MATRIX COMPOSITE MATERIALS

RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR ELECTION/RESTRICTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. §§121 AND 372

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 7, 2010, kindly amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.